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I am an over the road owner-operator. I operate in the eastern half of the United States. XM radios weather station provide a invaluable service to me, as I can check weather situations in regions far in advance, instead of only receiving local weather. I then know what to expect, and can make plans accordingly, instead of reacting to weather situations as they are occur over me. Additionally, I listen to the news suite on my XM radio to get national & international news as it happens. I have a son-in-law in Iraq, and have found that I am able to get up to the minute news much easier, than trying to find international news updates on local radio stations.

I believe that XM radio supplies services to myself, and other truck drivers, in a manner that cannot be supplied by local AM or FM radion stations.